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A. REGI	STRANT IDENTIFIC	ATION	
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:			OFFICIAL USE ONLY
SCORE Securities, Inc.			
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINE	SS: (Do not use P.O. Bo	x No.)	FIRM ID. NO.
301 Commerce St., Suite 1448			
	(No. and Street)		
Ft. Worth	Texas		76102-4140
(City)	(State)	<del></del>	(Zip Code)
B. ACCO INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whos	UNTANT IDENTIFIC  e opinion is contained in		MAR 2 9 2004
CF & Co., L.L.P.		1	<b>THOMSON</b>
	individual, state last, first, midd	lle name)	FINANCIAL
14175 Proton Rd.	Dallas	TX	75244
(Address)	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)
CHECK ONE:  X Certified Public Accountant Public Accountant Accountant not resident in United S	tates or any of its posses	<del></del>	
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### **OATH OR AFFIRMATION**

I, Ann L. Cr	enshaw , swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
	and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
SCORE Seco	urities, Inc, as of
December 31	, 2003, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor
	roprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as
that of a custon	mer, except as follows:
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	April 12, 2000
	President
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X (g)	Computation of Net Capital.
[X] (h)	Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
<b>凶</b> (j)	
☐ (k)	Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.  A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of core
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<b>—</b> .	A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
(n)	
$\overline{\mathbf{X}}$ (o)	Independent auditor's report on internal control

<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

SCORE SECURITIES, INC.

REPORT PURSUANT TO RULE 17a-5(d)

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003

### SCORE SECURITIES, INC.

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### Independent Auditor's Report

To the Stockholder SCORE Securities, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of SCORE Securities, Inc. as of December 31, 2003, and the related statements of income, changes in stockholder's equity, changes in liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors, and cash flows for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of SCORE Securities, Inc., as of December 31, 2003, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained in the Schedules I and II is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

CF & Co., L.L.P.

Cf # C., 22P

Dallas, Texas February 11, 2004

# SCORE SECURITIES, INC. Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2003

### **ASSETS**

Cash	\$	140,118
Receivable from broker-dealers and clearing organizations		120,767
Property and equipment, at cost, net of		•
accumulated depreciation of \$102,057 Other assets		13,113 3,473
Other assets		3,473
	<u>\$</u>	<u>277,471</u>
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY		
Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	600
Deferred income taxes payable Federal income taxes payable		1,191 1,878
State income taxes payable		366
a martine among payabate		
		4,035
Stockholder's equity		
Common stock, 10,000 shares		
authorized with \$1 par value,		4 000
1,000 shares issued and outstanding		1,000
Additional paid in capital		112,425
Retained earnings		160,011
Total stockholder's equity		273,436
	\$	277 471

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

# SCORE SECURITIES, INC. Statement of Income For the Year Ended December 31, 2003

### Revenues

Advisory fees	\$ 119,000
Securities commissions	555,653
Miscellaneous income	1,720
	676,373
Expenses	
Commissions and clearance paid to all other brokers	317,990
Compensation and benefits	159,284
Communications	38,127
Occupancy and equipment costs	74,193
Promotional costs	21,091
Regulatory fees and expenses	6,165
Other expenses	54,224
	671,074
Income before income taxes	5,299
Provision for federal income taxes - current	2,701
Provision for federal income taxes – deferred	703
Provision for state income taxes	1,686
Net income	<u>\$ 209</u>

# SCORE SECURITIES, INC. Statement of Changes in Stockholder's Equity For the Year Ended December 31, 2003

		Additional		
	Common Stock	Paid In <u>Capital</u>	Retained Earnings	Total
Balances at December 31, 2002	\$ 1,000	\$ 112,425	\$ 159,802	\$ 273,227
Net income			209	209
Balances at December 31, 2003	<u>\$ 1,000</u>	<u>\$ 112,425</u>	<u>\$ 160,011</u>	<u>\$ 273,436</u>

### SCORE SECURITIES, INC.

# Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of General Creditors For the Year Ended December 31, 2003

Balance at December 31, 2002	\$ -0-
Increases	-0-
Decreases	 -0-
Balance at December 31, 2003	\$ -0-

# SCORE SECURITIES, INC. Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended December 31, 2003

Cash flows from operating activities:	Φ.	•••
Net income	\$	209
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net		
cash provided (used) by operating activities:		15 555
Depreciation Change in assets and lightilities.		15,555
Change in assets and liabilities:		18,063
Decrease in receivable from brokers-dealers and clearing organizations Increase in other assets		(1,560)
		(6,335)
Decrease in accounts payable and accrued expenses  Decrease in federal income taxes payable		(0,333) (27,224)
Decrease in deferred income taxes payable  Decrease in deferred income taxes payable		(27,224) $(703)$
		(5,738)
Decrease in state income taxes payable		(3,/38)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities		(7,733)
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchases of property and equipment		(6,482)
		/
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities		(6,482)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Net cash provided (used) by financing activities	_	-0-
Net decrease in cash		(14,215)
Cash at beginning of year		154,333
Cash at organisms of year		154,555
Cash at end of year	<u>\$</u>	140,118
Supplemental Disclosures of Cash Flow Information		
Cash paid during the year for:		
Interest	<u>\$</u>	-0-
Income taxes	<u>\$</u>	29,102

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

### Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

SCORE Securities, Inc. ("Company") is a broker-dealer in securities registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and is a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers (NASD). The Company operates under (SEC) Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(ii), which provides that all funds and securities belonging to the Company's customers would be handled by a clearing broker-dealer. The Company is a Texas Corporation. The Company's customers are located throughout the United States.

Security transactions (and related commission revenue and expense) are recorded on a settlement date basis, generally the third business day following the transactions. If materially different, commission income and related expenses are recorded on a trade date basis.

Advertising costs are expensed as incurred. Total advertising costs for the year ended December 31, 2003 were \$2,088 and are included in promotional costs.

Compensated absences have not been accrued because the amount cannot be reasonably estimated.

Property and equipment are stated at cost. Depreciation is computed using a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets.

Income taxes are provided for the tax effects of transactions reported in the financial statements and consist of taxes currently due. The provision for federal income taxes may differ from the expected amount using statutory rates because certain expenses included in the determination of net income are non-deductible for tax reporting purposes.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### Note 2 - Net Capital Requirements

Pursuant to the net capital provisions of Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company is required to maintain a minimum net capital, as defined under such provisions. Net capital and the related net capital ratio may fluctuate on

### Note 2 - <u>Net Capital Requirements</u>, continued

a daily basis. At December 31, 2003, the Company had net capital of approximately \$259,666 and net capital requirements of \$50,000. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was .01 to 1. The Securities and Exchange Commission permits a ratio of no greater than 15 to 1.

### Note 3 - <u>Possession or Control Requirements</u>

The Company does not have any possession or control of customer funds or securities. There were no material inadequacies in the procedures followed in adhering to the exemptive provisions of (S.E.C.) Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(ii) by promptly transmitting all customer funds and securities to the clearing broker who carries the customer accounts.

### Note 4 - Property and Equipment

The classes of property and equipment are as follows:

Computer equipment	\$ 36,156
Computer software	45,865
Equipment and furniture	33,149
	115,170
Accumulated depreciation	(102,057)

<u>\$ 13,113</u>

Depreciation expense for the year ended December 31, 2003 was \$15,555 and is shown in occupancy and equipment costs.

### Note 5 - Operating Leases

The following is a schedule by years of future minimum rental payments required under operating leases that have initial or remaining noncancelable lease terms in excess of one year:

Year Ending	
December 31,	
2004	\$ 13,200
2005	5,500
	\$_18,700

### Note 5 - Operating Leases, continued

Rental expense for the year ended December 31, 2003 was \$38,754 and is reflected in occupancy and equipment costs.

### Note 6 - <u>Defined Benefit Pension Plan</u>

The Company has a defined benefit pension plan covering substantially all of its employees. The benefits are based on years of service and an employee's average monthly compensation. The Company's funding policy is to contribute annually the maximum amount that can be deducted for federal income tax purposes. The following tables provide further information about the plans:

Fair value of plan assets at December 31 Benefit obligation at December 31	Pension Benefits \$ 167,266 
Funded status	<u>\$ (298,494)</u>
Prepaid (accrued) benefit cost recognized in the balance sheet	\$ -0-
Weighted-average assumption as of December 31:	
Discount rate	7.50%
Expected return on plan assets	5.06
Rate of compensation increase	4.30
Benefit cost	\$45,000
Employer contributions	45,000
Plan participants' contributions	-0~
Benefits paid	-0~

### Note 7 - Income Taxes

The deferred tax liability at December 31, 2003 results primarily from amounts related to depreciation of the Company's property and equipment.

### Note 8 - Related Party Transactions

The Company receives advisory fees from an affiliate. The Company received \$119,000 in advisory fees during the year ended December 31, 2003.

### Note 9 - Concentration

At December 31, 2003, and at various other times throughout the year, the Company had cash balances in excess of federally insured limits.

### Note 10 - <u>Commitments and Contingencies</u>

Included in the Company's clearing agreement with its clearing broker-dealer, is an indemnification clause. This clause relates to instances where the Company's customers fail to settle security transactions. In the event this occurs, the Company will indemnify the clearing broker-dealer to the extent of the net loss on the unsettled trade. At December 31, 2003, management of the Company had not been notified by the clearing broker-dealer, nor were they otherwise aware, of any potential losses relating to this indemnification.

### Note 11 - Subsequent Events

The Company received \$600,000 from its sole shareholder on January 26, 2004. The Company is in the process of obtaining approval from National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. for subordination agreements which upon approval would make the funds available in computing net capital under the Securities and Exchange Commission's uniform net capital rule.

Supplemental Information

Pursuant to Rule 17a-5 of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

as of

December 31, 2003

### Schedule I

### SCORE SECURITIES, INC.

## Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Commission As of December 31, 2003

### **COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL**

Total stockholder's equity qualified for net capital		\$ 273,436
Add: Other deductions or allowable credits Deferred income taxes payable		1,191
Total capital and allowable subordinated liabilities		274,627
Deductions and/or charges Non-allowable assets Property and equipment Other assets	\$ 13,113 	(14,961)
Net capital before haircuts on securities positions		259,666
Haircuts on securities (computed, where applicable, pursuant to rule 15c3-1(f))  Non marketable securities		
Net capital		\$ 259,666
AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS		
Items included in statement of financial condition Accounts payable and accrued expenses Federal income taxes payable State income taxes payable		\$ 600 1,878 366
Total aggregate indebtedness		\$ 2,844

### Schedule I (continued)

# SCORE SECURITIES, INC. Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Commission As of December 31, 2003

### COMPUTATION OF BASIC NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT

Minimum net capital required (6 2/3% of total aggregate indebtedness)	<u>\$ 190</u>
Minimum dollar net capital requirement of reporting broker or dealer	\$ 50,000
Net capital requirement (greater of above two minimum requirement amounts)	\$ 50,000
Net capital in excess of required minimum	\$ 209,066
Excess net capital at 1000%	\$_259,382
Ratio: Aggregate indebtedness to net capital	01 to 1

### RECONCILIATION WITH COMPANY'S COMPUTATION

There were no material differences in the computation of net capital under Rule 15c3-1 from the Company's computation.

### Schedule II

### SCORE SECURITIES, INC.

Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Under
Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission
As of December 31, 2003

### **EXEMPTIVE PROVISIONS**

The Company has claimed an exemption from Rule 15c3-3 under section (k)(2)(ii), in which all customer transactions are cleared through another broker-dealer on a fully disclosed basis.

Company's clearing firms:

Capital Institutional Services, Inc.

Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith

Pershing, LLC

Independent Auditor's Report

On Internal Control

Required By SEC Rule 17a-5

Year Ended December 31, 2003



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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5

The Board of Directors SCORE Securities, Inc.

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements and supplemental information of SCORE Securities, Inc. (the "Company"), for the year ended December 31, 2003, we considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on internal control.

Also, as required by rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons
- 2. Recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13
- 3. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives.

Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has

responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in internal control that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2003, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, the SEC, the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., and other regulatory agencies that rely on rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Cf & Co., L.L.P.

Dallas, Texas February 11, 2004